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Hon. Paul G. Gardephe United States District Judge United States Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

MEMO ENDORSED

Eentering is adjourned to March 6, Zoro at 3:00. Defense Submission andre by Fel. 21, 2020. Government safinesser. is due February 25, 2020.

Re: United States v English, 18 Cr. 492 (PGG)

Your Honor:

This letter is submitted to request permission for the defense to file our sentencing memorandum on or before February 5, 2020. As this Court may recall, sentencing was previously postponed until February 12, 2020, so that the defense could arrange for a psychologist to evaluate Mr. English. Yesterday, the psychologist informed me that, due to his own scheduling issues, he cannot provide a completed report until February 3, 2010. Assuming he completes his report on that date, I would be able to file the defense sentencing submission on February 5th. I have conferred with AUSA Ni Qian, and she informed me that the government consents provided that they could file a reply, if necessary, by February 10<sup>th</sup>. Under this approach, the current sentencing date would remain on February 12th.

Should this Court prefer to receive all submissions in more time prior to sentencing, we suggest as an alternative that the sentencing date be postponed one week or more, with the understanding that the defense submission would be due two weeks before any sentencing date chosen by this Court.

Respectfully submitted,

S/S James E. Neuman